

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Olof NORRLOW et al.

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For: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF SODIUM  
PERCARBONATE GRANULES HAVING ENHANCED STABILITY

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

January 28, 2002

Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

Please replace the Abstract of the Disclosure with the rewritten Abstract of the Disclosure attached on a separate sheet attached hereto.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows: